

THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN YOUTH IS ON TOP OF AMERICAN SOIL--NOT UNDER EUROPEAN DIRT.--Walter Winchell

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Mayor Frederick G. Payne of Augusta has announced his candidacy for Republican nomination in the 1940 Maine gubernatorial election.

Maine Legislature adjourned last Friday after being in session nearly four months. Accomplishments included 415 acts, 98 resolves and one constitutional amendment.

Roy M. Abbott, 44, of Fryeburg, perished in a fire which destroyed his home early Monday morning. Albert Emile Petrin, 31, of Biddeford was electrocuted while at work in the Pepperell mill in that city Tuesday afternoon. It is believed that he came in contact with a pipe that had become short circuited.

Richard V. Vollmer, alias Frank, or Peter Chrzastowski, whose name, Federal authorities said, is on a Buffalo, N. Y., recently and is being held under \$10,000 bonds for the June term of U. S. District Court at Bangor, charged with impersonating an officer of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Volunteers are continuing the search for the body of Leo Emmons, 21, of East Livermore, who was drowned Sunday night when an iron railing broke, plunging him into the waters of the sluiceway of the International Paper Co. power house at Jay.

President Roosevelt signed the \$49,000,000 War Department Appropriation bill Wednesday. Immediately 571 warplanes were ordered at a cost of more than \$50,000,000.

The British Government has announced heavy taxes to meet its run-swollen budget and has been reported as having decided upon compulsory military training to further increase its defense preparations.

Germany is to add 1,750,000 men to its army to offset similar action taken by England.

Hitler is expected to make his reply on Friday to President Roosevelt's plea for 10-year guarantee against aggression. He is reported as telling intimates that he intends to reject the plan.

A delegation of Hopi Indians are in Washington to persuade the Great White Father to come to their aid in preventing the Peabody Institute of New York from excavating the long buried village of Awotivi located in their reservation. Awotivi back some 200 years ago was wiped out by Indians. It had become the Sodom and Gomorrah of their tribe. So vile and vicious, the Indians simply got rid of the village and now pray the Government to leave the evils buried. No benefits to science, they hold, can come out of resurrecting the evils of a past age.

LIONS CLUB OBSERVES LADIES' NIGHT

The Bethel Lions Club observed Ladies' Night at their meeting at Bethel Inn Tuesday evening. Several guitar selections were played by Walter Inman and Mr. Andrews of West Paris. Joseph Stickney of the Inland Fish and Game Commission showed two reels of motion pictures depicting wild life in Maine. This interesting entertainment was followed by dancing.

PAYNE TO ADDRESS C. OF C. TUESDAY EVENING

Mayor Payne of Augusta will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce at the American Legion Rooms next Tuesday evening.

SCHUBNER-BEAN

Frederick Schubner of Albany and Miss Elizabeth Bean of Bethel were united in marriage at West Paris Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, pastor of the Universalist Church. The double ring service was used.

Mr. Schubner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schubner of Albany and was graduated from Norway High School. Mrs. Schubner is the daughter of Mrs. Gladys Bean of Bethel and the late Wilbur Bean. She is a graduate of Gould Academy in the class of 1935. They will reside at Dixfield.

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GENERAL WELFARE CENTER FORMED IN BETHEL

On Friday evening, April 21, a meeting was held at the I. O. O. F. Hall for the purpose of forming a General Welfare Center.

The affair started off with a baked bean supper at 6.30 which was well attended. After the supper F. J. Tyler introduced the following speakers: C. K. Wiltse of Norway, Roy Cheney and Dr. Tracy of Portland, William Willard of South Portland and the Rev. M. A. Gordon of Bethel.

There were a number of visitors from Norway and Portland.

After the speeches the following officers were elected: president, F. J. Tyler; vice-president, Erwin Hutchinson; secretary, Irene Hutchinson; treasurer, Harry Sawin; and correspondent, D. H. Mason.

The Bethel Center are very grateful to Mr. Willard and Mr. Wiltse for the many times they have come to Bethel to assist us with advice, help and talks on problems of the movement for which we are all working.

BETHEL NATIVE PROMINENT IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

At the South West District Meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers held at Houston, Texas, last week, Carroll E. Valentine, East Pittsborough, Penna., read a paper on "Recent Developments in Generator Voltage Regulation," which was followed by a discussion, on questions from the floor. Mr. Valentine, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine of this town, is associated with the Westinghouse Electrical and Manufacturing Co. at East Pittsborough and has been a member of the Electrical Engineers Institute for two years.

MAY 3, 8 P. M.

Here is an unusual opportunity for us to help our community and enjoy ourselves while doing the same.

When the American Legion buys diphtheria toxoid for hundreds of school children and gives dozens of Christmas baskets to our less fortunate citizens we are pleased and proud. These and many minor benevolences they promote every year. To do these things require not only time and energy and ambition but money. Please read on.

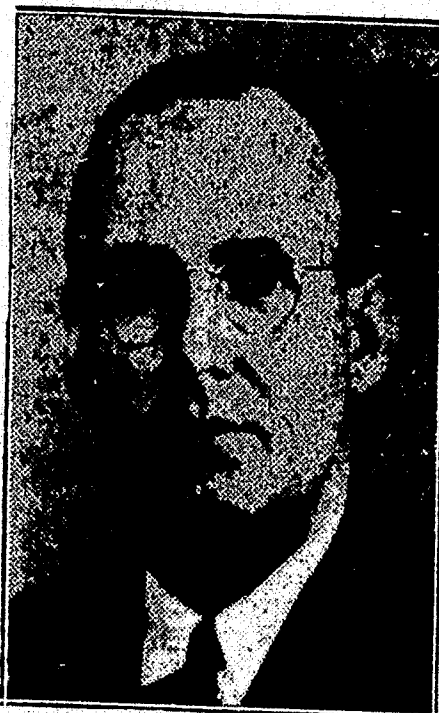
On Wednesday evening, May 3, an entertainment will be sponsored by George A. Mundt of Bethel. This will be an Amateur Night show, and the talent will run a long and varied scale. In fact all the old favorites and many new ones will appear. Shaw's Orchestra from Norway will furnish the music. Here are some of the headliners, there are more as good.

Sidney Howe, the banjo man. Crockett and Brooks, comedians, are preparing a mystery number. Miss Patricia O'Brien offers a lovely Spanish dance. Miss Virginia Davis and Miss Edna Young have a musical treat. The McMillin sisters have a hill billy act that is worth coming a long ways to see.

Do Charles Freeman and his buddy, Charlie Smith, need an introduction? They alone are worth the price. The Bethel Girl Scouts are rehearsing an interesting skit depicting a day at a Girl Scout summer camp. Miss Carol Robertson and Gilbert LeClair have a silver trumpet duet.

Mrs. Parker Connor will give some humorous readings, real honest-to-goodness laughs, they are. Harold Lurvey and Ruel Chapman need no introduction. They promise to be funnier than ever, if possible. The last two mentioned numbers are not competitive.

The prices are 20c and 35c. There are a few reserved seats on sale at Bosserman's. We'll be seeing you May 3 at Odeon Hall at 8 o'clock.



FREDERICK G. PAYNE, Mayor of Augusta, who yesterday announced his candidacy for Republican nomination for Governor in the June primaries next year.

BROWN COMPANY VOTED \$9,000,000 REFIN LOAN

Directors of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation meeting in Washington Friday passed a resolution to lend \$9,000,000 to the Brown Company, New England's largest pulp and paper manufacturer.

With the loan, it is said, the company will have approximately \$8,000,000 in working capital upon completion of reorganization under Section 77-B of the Federal Bankruptcy Act, a sum ample to carry on the business successfully, while about \$2,000,000 would be available for plant improvement at Berlin.

The loan is predicated on certain conditions among which are that it shall be secured by a prior lien on all important assets of the company, other than current assets, and that both the management and the reorganization plan shall be acceptable to the RFC. Under the Bankruptcy Act it is also necessary that the plan be approved by the court, security holders and creditors.

The company first filed a plan of reorganization in the U. S. District Court in Portland in the summer of 1937. Two years after going into trusteeship considerable progress was made in obtaining approval of the plan by the required percentages of creditors and security holders, a subsequent slump in general business and capital markets put a halt to reorganization as outlined in the plan.

For the last year and a half, it is understood, sub-committees of the Boston and New York bondholders' committees, the preferred stock committees, the creditors committee and representatives of the company have been meeting regularly to work out details of a revised plan which would be acceptable to all groups.

MAROONED BY MUD!

Loading upward and due west from Mill Hill is a humble hamlet which for nearly a century has been called Grover Hill. Lovers of beautiful mountain scenery have always found pleasure in the magnificent panorama constantly unfolding as one ascends the winding country road.

But--for some days now only one motor vehicle has been able to plow through the deeply muddled rut. This is an ancient Model T driven at this season by a patient and long-suffering mail carrier who, it is reported, beginning Monday have to walk a part of the distance.

All this is wholly unnecessary for a large gravel pit, owned and controlled by the town, and from which tons of gravel have been trucked to various road-building projects, is located at a convenient spot along the roadside. Whenever Continued on Page Five

100 ATTEND LEADERS' CONFERENCE SATURDAY

One hundred club leaders, assistant leaders and club members attended the annual Oxford County Leaders' Conference at the South Paris Grange Hall on Saturday, April 22. These folks traveled a distance of 5,276 miles, round trip, to this conference. J. C. Conant of Canton Point and his group traveled 110 miles, the longest distance traveled by anyone attending. C. A. Judkins of Upton and his group traveled 106 miles.

Kenneth C. Lovejoy, state club leader, spoke on 4-H club leadership on the morning program. Miss Evelyn Plummer, assistant state club leader, spoke to the women leaders on girls' 4-H projects. Mrs. Addelynn Mann, Bryant Pond, county club project leader, was chairman of the day's program. She introduced Wilmer Stevens of Canton Point, who has been selected to attend National 4-H Camp at Washington from this county. Wilmer spoke of his appreciation as being selected to go to Washington. He assured the clubs that he would be willing to come back and speak to them of his experiences.

Mrs. Leone Pepley of West Paris, one of the members of the state camp committee, announced the delegates for the coming summer: Carolyn Dunham, Bryant Pond; Alice Wadsworth, South Hiram; Edith Mason, Locke Mills; Therna Myers, West Sumner; Eugene Lasselle, Norway; C. William Hersey, North Waterford; Robert Billings, East Bethel; and Carroll Wadsworth Jr., South Hiram.

The officers for the leaders' association for the coming year were elected as follows: president, Mrs. Addelynn Mann; vice-president, Mrs. Lewis Meserve; secretary, Mrs. Rose Swan; treasurer, J. C. Conant.

LOCAL WOMEN ATTEND P. T. A. MEETING AT SOUTH PARIS

Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Mrs. Carroll Abbott, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Mrs. Harold Lurvey, Miss Carrie Wight and Miss Eleanor Buck attended the District Meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, No. 6, at South Paris Monday afternoon and evening. Mrs. Jones, State President, was present and gave a talk on the attitude of the parents and teachers toward each other and toward the school and home. Eight units were represented at the meeting.

TRAIN SCHEDULE CHANGES

Beginning Sunday, April 30, passenger trains will leave Bethel as follows: East bound, daily, 3.35 p. m. West bound, daily except Sunday, 10.44 a. m.; Sunday, 1.51 p. m. The above are STANDARD time.

Carl R. Dudley of Portland was fined \$100 and costs in Norway municipal court last Thursday on a charge of drunken driving. He furnished \$300 bonds for appearance at the June term of court. The arrest took place at Locke Mills where Dudley and a companion stopped.

NOTICE

All desiring Victrola's licenses must apply to Town Clerk on or before May 3, 1939. ALICE J. BROOKS, Clerk

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DAYLIGHT SAVING BEGINS SUNDAY

Daylight Saving Time will become effective again next Sunday, April 30. The official change occurs at 2 a. m., but as usual it is expected that most people will set their clocks ahead an hour on retiring Saturday night.

Daylight time, legalized by Legislature a few years ago, is effective in most towns in Maine from the last Sunday in April to the last Sunday in September. To avoid confusion don't forget the change Saturday night.

MRS. GARDINER ROBERTS

Funeral services for Mrs. Viola Roberts, who died in Gorham, N. H., Saturday night, were held at Greenleaf's funeral home Tuesday afternoon. Rev. H. T. Wallace officiated. The remains were taken to Massachusetts Wednesday for cremation.

Mrs. Roberts was born in Milan, N. H., Dec. 20, 1851, the daughter of Gilman and Lucia Harris Twitchell. She married Gardiner Roberts and they resided in Hanover for several years. After his death, she came to Bethel where she resided for a few years and about five years ago went to Gorham to make her home.

Survivors include three nieces, Mrs. Alma Mitchell of Bethel, Mrs. Bertha Griffin of Concord, N. H., and Mrs. Maria Twitchell of Portland; two nephews, Orvis Twitchell of Milan, N. H., and Burchard Russell of Hanover; two grand-nieces, Mrs. L. B. Howe of Bethel and Mrs. Norma Kendall of Worcester, Mass.

MRS. PRESTON BENNETT

Mrs. Mary E. Bennett, wife of Preston Bennett, died Saturday morning in Gilead. She was born in Norway Sept. 2, 1867, the daughter of Henry and Esther D. Judkins and had lived in Gilead 25 years.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Albert of West Bethel and Bert of Gilead; a daughter, Mrs. Carl Richardson of Shelburne, N. H.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral home Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. H. T. Wallace officiated. Interment was at Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel.

REV. FRED W. BUCK

Rev. Fred W. Buck died at his home on Bird Hill Wednesday afternoon, April 19, at four o'clock.

He was born June 20, 1867, in Sawyerville, Quebec, the son of George and Minnie Munn Buck. He received his education in Canada, coming to New Hampshire when a young man. He held pastorate in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont. He retired from active work when his health failed in 1926, and came to Bethel.

He leaves a wife, Elouise, and four daughters, Mrs. Luella Ferneto of Winthrop, Mass.; Mrs. Thelma Smith, Norway; Mrs. Eva Richardson, New York City; Mrs. Ida Rowe, Bethel; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at his late home Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Entombment was at Locke Mills.

BEGINNING MAY 1

Mrs. Wilma Quimby will be assisted at her Beauty Shoppe by Miss Eleanor Aldrich. They will specialize in the following:

MACHINELESS WAVES Zotoz \$10.00 Jamal \$7.50 Vapor Marcel \$6.50 Ovivo \$5.00

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People and Spots in the Late News



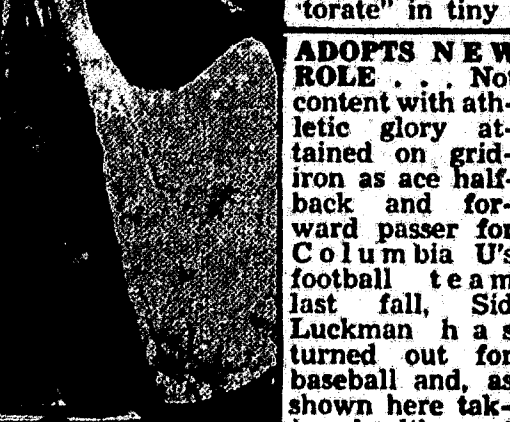
DAREDEVIL DOG... World's only canine member of an auto daredevil troupe is Odin, being praised here after practice for New York World's Fair stunts, by Mrs. Jimmie Lynch, wife of the Texas death-dodger who will stage six free thrill shows daily for an Akron, O., tire company.



NEWEST "FASCIST"... Typical representative of latest "conquest" for Mussolini is this Albanian peasant, shown here with his son riding only means of conveyance, a donkey. Men like this were among those who resisted futilely, huge expeditionary force of Italians sent by Il Duce to set up Fascist "protectorate" in tiny country.



LACE IN FAVOR... Newest creation from Parisian fashion centers is this evening gown, the "Bagatelle," of white lace and cherry-colored satin. She is complementing satin prove to be a favorable accessory.



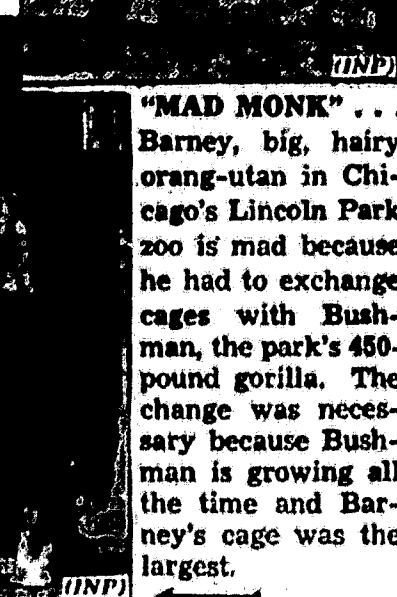
ADOPTS NEW ROLE... Not content with athletic glory attained on grid-iron as ace half-back and forward passer for Columbia U's football team last fall, Sid Luckman has turned out for baseball and, as shown here taking healthy cut at the horsehide, is one of Lions' batting mainstays in early season contests.



"MAD MONK"... Barney, big, hairy orang-utan in Chicago's Lincoln Park zoo is mad because he had to exchange cages with Bushman, the park's 450-pound gorilla. The change was necessary because Bushman is growing all the time and Barney's cage was the largest.



NATION'S BUSIEST... Mrs. Grace Keefe of Chicago could well claim title of "nation's busiest mother." Besides caring for family of nine, she is now forming neighborhood National Consumers Tax Commission unit to study hidden taxes, and recently wrote prize-winning essay in nationwide contest on "America's Greatest Need Today."



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BRYANT POND

There was a large attendance at the supper sponsored by the Ladies' Aid Thursday night, April 20. The Garden Club gave an entertainment in the evening.

Miss Marjorie Fuller plans to enter the Community Hospital at Rumford this week for an operation for appendicitis. Miss Clara Whitman will work for Mrs. Maxine Perren during Miss Fuller's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Davis are having the rooms papered in their house and will soon move there. Mr. and Mrs. Walter McInnis will move from the rent upstairs to the rent where Mr. Davis' folks lived over the store.

Mrs. Eva Davis of Conway, N. H. was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Davis and her daughter, Miss Lois Davis, who lives with them.

The inspection of the D. of U. V. took place Tuesday evening, April 25. Supper was served in the dining room at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker are ill.

Mrs. Mary Felt has done the papering for Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. James MacKillop and Otis Evans went to Dixfield Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of J. Vivian Robbins. Mr. Robbins was here on a visit with his aunt, Mrs. Roy Newton, and was taken sick with pneumonia. He was taken to the Community Hospital at Rumford, where he passed away. Mrs. Newton, who has been with him part of the time, and Mr. Newton and son Burton attended the funeral Sunday afternoon.

At the church services Sunday

evening "In His Steps" was given with about 60 colored slides shown by Rev. James MacKillop.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman and daughter Fay of Auburn were Sunday guests of Mrs. Florence Cushman.

In the drawing contest in the grammar school, Arlene Swan received first prize and Robert York second prize.

Milton

John Ferguson and Harold Brackett of Norway were callers at William Dyer's Wednesday.

Barbara and Millet Coffin of Bryant Pond spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Mrs. Florence Benson of South Woodstock called on Mrs. Ella Bowker Wednesday.

James Russell visited at West Paris Sunday with Wallace Russell and family.

Sunday guests at William Dyer's were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hemingway, Mrs. Ava Whitman of Norway and George Abbott of Rumford Corner.

Mrs. Florence Merrill of Sweden and Mrs. Bascha Ackley of North Fryeburg spent the week-end at her home here.

Alex Miller has moved into the house he purchased of Harry Billings.

Maurice Benson is hauling cordwood he bought of Miss Clara Jackson.

Mrs. Sadie Lapham and son Clyde of Norway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Mansfield Packard and daughter Mary of Waterville were callers at Harry Billings' Sunday.

Mrs. Ismay Hathaway of Bryant Pond visited her grandmother, Mrs. Addie Lapham, Wednesday.

Miss Clara Jackson and Miss Florence Burnham were in West Paris Sunday and called on Mrs. Dora Jackson and Mrs. Clara Ridlon.

Songo Pond

Herbert Winslow has purchased a place at Skillingston and will move there within the next few weeks.

Mrs. Harry Churchill went to Wayne Friday and returned Sunday night.

Mrs. Leonard Kimball has been very ill of pneumonia. Mrs. Floyd Kimball and Mrs. Jennie Brown are caring for her.

Sidney Chapman of Bethel has done some painting and papering at A. B. Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow and son, Dennis, were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. Zella Smith, and family at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were callers at Vinton Tibbets, South Bethel, one day recently.

Misses Florence and Helen Kimball have finished their duties and returned home.

Mrs. Lillian Kimball visited her brother, Hollis Grindle, and wife Sunday forenoon.

Freeman Winslow and sister, Hazel, of North Lovell were callers at Herbert Winslow's Monday evening.

Mrs. Charles Gorman, Bethel, is caring for her niece, Leona Kimball, while her mother is ill.

George Tibbets of Norway was at Herbert Winslow's Sunday.

Mrs. Libby of Norway, who was called here by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Lena Kimball, returned to her home Monday.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May, A. D. 1939, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Collins F. Morgan, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Mabel Morgan Allen as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Mabel M. Allen, the executrix therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

19 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

STATE OF MAINE

Town of Greenwood

Notice

Hearing will be held at the Selectmen's office in the Town of Greenwood on Friday, May 5, 1939, at ten o'clock, A. M., by the municipal officers for the approving of malt liquor application of the following person:

George L. Clark, Killarney Lodge, North Pond, Lockes Mills.

All persons may appear to show cause if any they may have, why said malt application should not be approved.

Dated at Greenwood, this 24th day of April A. D. 1939.

RUTH F. RING

Town Clerk



A revised list of bulletins available from the University of Maine agricultural Extension Service may be obtained on request to the Extension Service, Orono, Maine.

One of the features of the World's Poultry Congress, starting in Cleveland, July 28, is a disassembly line. Chickens will arrive at one end of the belt cackling and leave the other end wrapped in cellophane ready for the oven. Other unusual exhibits: Hens from Chile which lay blue eggs; Polish hens with green feet; and Japanese chickens that need attendants to carry their tails.

The University of Maine agricultural Extension Service has just published a new bulletin on electric fences. The bulletin states the case for and against the electric fence, tells how it should be installed, and gives instruction in how to train livestock so that the animals will respect the fence. Single copies of the bulletin are free on request to county agents or the Extension Service, Orono. The bulletin was written by M. G. Huber, agricultural engineer.

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GRAPEFRUIT	6 for 25c
PEAS	2 lbs. 19c
TEXAS ONIONS	3 lbs. 17c
IGA Extra Large Package WHEAT PUFFS	2 pkgs. 19c
IGA CREAM CEREAL	pkg. 17c
IGA Extra Large Package RICE PUFFS	2 pkgs. 19c
FOSS' VANILLA	2 oz. 25c
BORAXO	8 oz. can 15c
Sally May BEAUTY SOAP	4 for 18c
Top Round STEAK	1b. 30c
Boneless Brisket	1b. 20c
CORNER BEEF	6 to 8 lb. avg. wgt. 1b. 18c
SHOULDERS	1b. 25c
SLICED BACON	4 cans 25c
IGA Evaporated MILK	24 1/2 lb. bag 83c
IGA Fancy Family FLOUR	1b. 25c
BLUE "G" COFFEE	1b. 25c
Roderic Cough Balsam	29c



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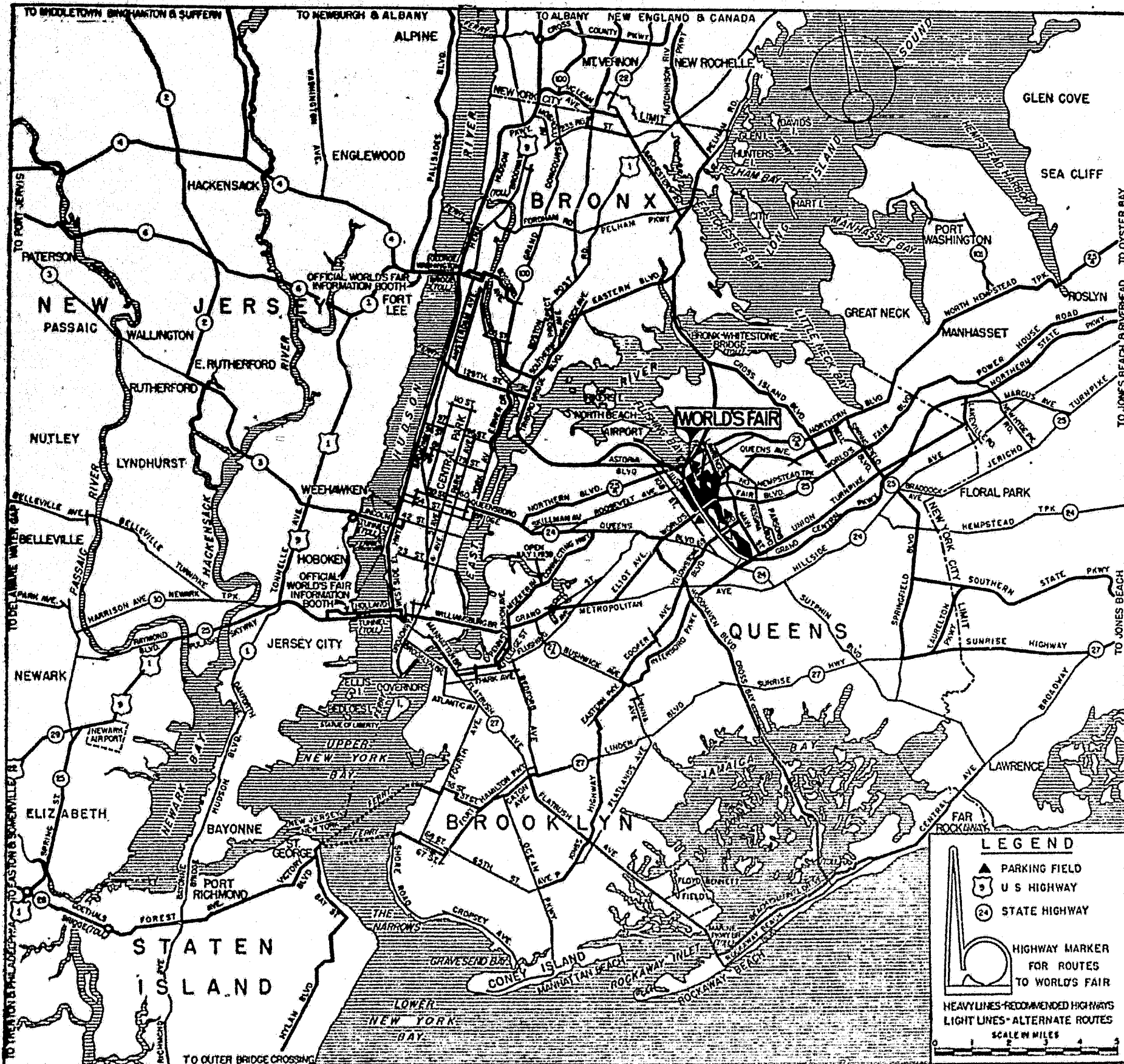
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Official Routes to The New York World's Fair



NEW YORK—Approved recently by Mayor F. H. La Guardia of New York City and Grover A. Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair, this map is designed to be of especial use to those motoring to the exposition. A comprehensive system of handling Fair traffic has been developed. Information booths will be found at bridge and tunnel approaches to New York. According to Mr. Whalen, out-of-town motorists will be able to thread their way through the city to the Fair grounds "as easily as they now go from home down to Main Street."

Free Shows at New York Fair For Millions

NEW YORK—Millions of "average" Americans, from Maine to California, will close their cottages, bungalows, and apartments for brief periods this year and start out for the New York World's Fair 1939. They will arrive by plane, car, bus, and some, perhaps, on foot.

About the wonders of the Fair they will have read much. They will expect the utmost of this \$155,000,000 exposition. But the question they are asking now is "what will it cost?"

The answer: They may enjoy virtually all the wonders of the Main Exhibition Area without cost, except what they may spend for food which ranges from 10-cent frankfurters to de luxe swank meals in the cafes.

Every night they will be treated to the greatest free spectacle in exposition history: the \$1,000,000 fireworks and fountain displays which will bathe the 1,216½ acres of the Fair in brilliant colors.

Free Shows Galore
Hundreds of free shows on the grounds will include such varied entertainment as a rocket ship which carries passengers through both space and time to remote planets; thrilling head-on crashes at the automobile proving ground, a model dairy where 150 prized cows will be milked daily. Industry, science and the nations of the world will offer their wonders and art treasures to the free view of all Fair visitors.

Admission to the grounds will cost 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. One day each week children will be admitted for 10 cents.

One of the most elaborate spectacles in theatrical history, Billy Rose's stage and water ballet at the 10,000 seat Marine Amphitheatre, starring Eleanor Holm and 300 dancing and swimming girls, will cost only 40 cents.

The World on Display
Sixty-two foreign countries whose magnificent pavilions face the Lagoon of Nations and the Court of Peace will be open throughout the Fair for free inspection. Here the treasures of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and South America will be shown. A list of the free wonders of the Exhibit Area would fill columns. Some of the highlights are:

The Railroad Building, center of a 6-acre exhibit, containing the most complete miniature railroad ever constructed; a thriving American homestead, complete with cattle, sheep, and chickens, with a singing fountain at the entrance; the most valuable wheat field in the world; a 135-foot schooner in New England's exhibit; the Model Town of Tomorrow containing completely furnished homes; The Children's World, a fantastic miniature fair by itself; the House of Jewels where more than \$5,000,000 worth of gems will sparkle.

All this and vastly more, may be seen—free of charge.

THE CAUSE



"I am surprised to hear that the Cobbs have separated. What was the cause?"

"Incompatibility. He absolutely detested me. I moved just after he married."

Sunday River

Frank Spinney is working for the Brown Company.

Miss Elsie Spinney visited at Joe Spinney's recently.

Miss Winifred Bean visited Mrs. J. Baker in Ketchum last week.

Will Powers fell recently on a pile of pulp, hurting his back quite badly.

About 40 men are working on the drive in Ketchum.

Roland Fleet and wife were in Bethel village Friday evening.

Mrs. John Nowlin called on Mrs. Esther Powers recently.

Mrs. Grace Noylin Bartlett is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nowlin.

Guy Soper is working for James Spinney on the Oren Littlehale lot.

Rowe Hill, Greenwood
Mrs. Newton Bryant was visiting in Locke Mills and Woodstock one day last week.

Glenwood Libby called on Glenn Martin and Ray Hannacom Wednesday evening.

Harold Johnson of Bryant Pond was at Osmond Palmer's Friday evening.

Dwight and Beryl Martin of Greenwood Center were in the neighborhood Friday.

Glenn Martin was in Bethel on business Saturday.

Albany—Valley Road

Harlan Bumpus attended the Warden's Fire Training School at Berlin, Wednesday and Thursday.

Lonnie Adams, who has been away all winter, working in the woods, was at his camp here over the week-end.

Carl and Clayton Penley of Fryeburg were at Harlan Bumpus' Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall and children called at Ben Inman's Sunday.

Arthur Haselton and Clarence McAllister are working at E. G. Lapham's mill.

Harlan Bumpus was in Norway on business one day last week.

South Woodstock
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woods of Malden, Mass., were guests over the week-end of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews.

James Holden, who is working for Gerald Davis, has been called home for a few days on account of the illness of his son, Charles.

H. M. Andrews was at Mechanic Falls on Thursday of last week.

After so much snow as we have had all around us, it hardly seems possible that it could have gone so quickly and that now we see bare ground nearly everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Briggs held their wedding reception at Benson's pavilion Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Felt is papering and painting for Mrs. Steven Davis at Bryant Pond.

Perkins Valley, Woodstock

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Perham are entertaining their son, Melford Perham, and family, from Bath.

Ned Herick is boarding at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinton's.

Mrs. Arvilla Silver entertained her family Sunday.

The roads are quite muddy here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland Jr. were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Swinton spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernal Thworn and son Junior are making maple syrup. The sap is running very good.

Abner Benson has been having a bad cold but is gaining at this writing.

Mrs. Maude Benson is working at West Paris.

Charles Silver has bought a new truck.

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Greenwood Center

Forest McDaniels of Bryant Pond was a visitor in this place Friday of last week.

Leo Swett, who has been with his nephew, Walter Tyler, at Albany for some time returned to his home here last week.

Leland Farr of West Poland was a week-end visitor at his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin.

Burl and Dwight Martin were at Bryant Pond recently on business.

W. E. Penley and Co. are going to take the camp and other buildings down and move them away.

Burl Martin, who has occupied the camp for some time has bought lumber and expects to have his house built soon.

Irvyn Martin of lower Greenwood visited at Roy Martin's recently.

Mrs. Elmer Cole is sick of a gripple.

Glenwood Libby visited his sister, Ethel Martin, Sunday.

Roland Martin has several kinds of birds for pets. They light by his feet for the crumbs he feeds them.

Naming Red River
Red river, which separates Oklahoma from Texas on the south, got its name through being fed in part by the waters of Red creek, Mud creek, Muddy Boggy creek and Deep Red run.

American Legion VAUDEVILLE & AMATEUR NIGHT, May 3

Children 20c

Adults 35c

Reserved Seats 50c

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THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1939

40 YEARS AGO in NEWS

April 26, 1899

Horace Foster has purchased the Connors house on Church St. and will occupy it at an early date.

The Goddard house on Railroad street has been purchased by E. G. Anis, who moved into the same last Saturday.

One of the most attractive windows on Main St. is that of Edw. King. Always prettily arranged, it commands this week unusual attention by the display of novelties both in the jewelry and bicycle line. Mr. King's line of bicycle sundries this season exceeds any line ever offered by him before.

Greenwood—Ransom Cole finished sawing birch some time ago, hauled the strips to Locke Mills, and is now sawing long lumber, mostly hemlock and spruce.

Mason—Leighton Bros. began to put their 8-foot spruce timber into Pleasant river last Wednesday, and Sunday noon they had it all out into the Androscoggin river. As there were 2200 cords in the lot they must have done some hustling. Our roads are nearly impassable; about half sleighing and half wheeling.

West Bethel—The old meeting-house near the railway station is being rapidly transformed into a dwelling house. The winter road machine, drawn by eight of A. S. Bean's heaviest horses, was used here on Friday last to plow through the snow drifts on the highways.

GIRL SCOUTS

The Senior Scouts met at the Legion Hall on Wednesday and rehearsed the dance which they plan to do Saturday at Rumford. They made plans for their part in the Legion Amateur Contest on May 3. They discussed the requirements for the International World Friendship and World Trefoll Badges on which they are working.

The Junior Girl Scout troop met at the Legion Rooms Friday with 17 girls and four leaders present. Plans were made for the Spring Round-Up. It was planned what all should present in the Amateur Contest. Each girl decided which field she should work in to fulfill her First Class requirements. Games and songs were enjoyed. Carolyn Bryant and Sadie Bean are to bring refreshments for next meeting.

The Girl Scout troop committee met at the Legion Rooms for a brief meeting before the Senior Scouts met. They planned the transportation for the Rumford Rally Saturday and discussed the business affairs of the past year. Those present were Mrs. Agnes Twaddle, Mrs. Mabel O'Brien, Mrs. Marion O'Brien, Mrs. Ruth Carver, Mrs. Gertrude Boyker, Mrs. Miss Davis, and Mrs. Anna Hunt.

T THOSE FEET OUT OF HIS FACE



BETHEL GRANGE

Bothel Grange held its regular meeting Thursday evening, April 20, in their hall with the Worthy Overseer, Brother Fred Clark in the Master's chair. Brother Jasper Cates filled the Overseer's chair. Officers absent at rollcall were Master, Lecturer, Treasurer, Ceres and Flora.

Brother F. E. Russell installed Sister Gertrude Bartlett as Lecturer. Brother Fred Hamlin was reported as gaining following a serious illness.

There were thirteen members present at the meeting.

The Lecturer presented the following program:

Quotations—Grange
Recitation—Sister Ada Connor
Remarks—Brothers Russell, Clark, and Mason and Sisters Clark and Bartlett
Reading—Worthy Lecturer
Reading—Worthy Secretary
Reading—Sister Coolidge

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The SNAPSHOT GUILD

TRICK PICTURES—I



Above: Realistic, but a fake, easy with any camera. Inset, left, shows how to fake a scooter "wreck." Just use concealed pegs or props, pose subject as desired.

"TRICK pictures?" you say; "oh, I can't take those. Mine is just an ordinary camera."

There you're wrong. Splendid trick snapshots can be taken with any camera—whether it's a simple, inexpensive box camera or one of the finest cameras made.

Consider the snapshot above. It looks like the sort of thing that demands a fast "action" camera and lots of picture luck. But don't be fooled. The picture was posed. The horse was stuffed, and hung on a peg. And the camera used was a simple amateur type such as thousands of us possess.

Probably you don't have a stuffed horse. But if your son has a bicycle or "scooter" you can picture a spill just as realistic as this one. Simply rig up the child's vehicle to a tree, showing it in a cockeyed, off-the-ground position—see that the supports are concealed. Let your sub-

ject pose as if he had just toppled off—and snap the picture.

Photo tricks with string or thread are fun. Try a "magic golf club" shot. Just use light-weight thread, and suspend one of your clubs from a tree branch, in proper striking position. Hang a ball a few inches in front of the club head. Now, have a friend pose as if hypnotizing the club into action—and shoot. If you use thread which is about the same color and tone as the background, it will not show.

Thread also can be used for trick shots indoors. Thus, you can show your wife "hypnotizing" a vase of flowers right off the table—or beckoning her sewing basket to her through the air. Just use dark thread to suspend the objects, and shade your photo lights so the thread is not illuminated.

Try these tricks now—and we'll tell you of some others just as easy, next week.

John van Guilder

West Greenwood

Little Dennis Wilson has been quite ill with an abscess in his ear. Richard Carter has purchased the Dearden place and is moving in.

J. H. Deegan and son Joe are yarding wood for Fred Clark.

Mrs. Walter Brown is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alden Wilson.

Ray D. Thompson called on Paul Croteau Sunday.

Tom Kennaugh was helping Guy Perkins last week.

Alister Lowe and son Charles called on Paul Croteau Sunday afternoon.

AUXILIARY NOTES

An effective Fidae program was carried out at Locke Mills Friday, April 21, by the Jackson-Silver Unit. The fidae flags of foreign nations were on display. Clara Jackson, Dept. Chairman, gave an excellent fidae reading. Olive Lurvey, State Vice-President, gave a few remarks concerning the Second District activities. An interesting Child Welfare report was given by Mrs. Mae Andrews. A reading was given by Ethel Mason and musical selections were rendered by the Lamb twins. Mrs. Lamb was in charge of this program. Those attending from Bethel were Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Iola Forbes, Mrs. Frances Bennett, Mrs. Marjorie McAllister, and Mrs. L. Adeline Fish.

The local American Legion and Auxiliary were guests of the Norway Post Tuesday evening. Commander Low of Portland was the guest speaker of the evening. "National Defense" was the topic. A buffet lunch was served, and dancing was enjoyed to the music of Jan Grover's orchestra. Those attending from Bethel were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Van Den Kerckhoven, Milo McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lurvey, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Leslie Coburn, Mrs. Iola Forbes, Mrs. Frances Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Naimey, Mrs. L. Adeline Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore.

A meeting of the Auxiliary will be held Thursday evening, April 27, with Mrs. Iola Forbes.

"THEY TELL ME"

Signs of spring seem to be piling up pretty fast now. The snow drifts are crawling back away from the roads, in fact in the village the snow that was piled up pretty high beside the streets has gone down so that the sidewalks are uncovered in places and pretty soon it will be so that people can use them again if they want to. The boys are playing pass in the streets a little and stockings are being rolled again. The automobiles are having their usual mud time experiences on the side roads and the kids are scooting around on their bicycles wherever they can. The way some of these young folks, and older, perform on their wheels shows an amazing ignorance or disregard of highway etiquette and for the next six or eight months will go a long way towards frazzling the nerves of car drivers and unwilling observers. In the village or out in the country where the cars are supposed to go faster if they want to, the way the bikes are handled isn't right. You can never tell where they will go when you meet 'em, and if you meet two or three at a time some will take one side of the road and some the other. They have a lot of fun and it is nice exercise, but if you read the papers you will see that when the auto driver can't think the way the bike rider does the poor kid gets the worst of it. I think that it is up to somebody to teach the kids to have regard for themselves and others. To observe ordinary traffic rules, have a light after dark, and not carry passengers. If their parents aren't interested why not have local regulation like some cities do. The way some men and women drive cars it is easy to see what fools they must have been with bicycles.

Uncle Hiram
[Note: As we understand it, legally a bicyclist is not a pedestrian and a bicycle is not a vehicle, thus they may not be held to obey the usual rules of the road unless local ruling makes it possible. Editor.]

STEAMBOAT ON RIVER 50 YEARS AGO

Hanover Company Built Two Boats for Local Traffic—Later Hauled to Umbagog Lake

Mention of the steamboat line from Hanover to Bethel in last week's Citizen has aroused some reader comment and some interesting facts have been brought up. It appears that in the late 80's the boat made trips to Bethel for a short time and did a rushing business. Further information has been offered by Harry E. Dyer of Hanover, who writes:

On April 16th, 1888, the following people formed what was known as the Androscoggin Steamboat Co.: C. W. Kimball, James Elliott, J. B. Roberts, Geo. A. Virgin, G. A. Roberts, W. C. Holt, Waldo Pettengill, F. H. Bartlett, Isaac Bagnall, Jessie Russell, J. H. Martin, J. W. Segar, O. P. Russell, J. W. Stuart, Edwin Elliott. At the June meeting C. A. Kimball was elected President, C. W. Kimball Treasurer, and J. B. Roberts Clerk.

In 1889 they built a stern wheel boat capable of carrying 30 passengers, which was placed in the river at Hanover Ferry. They asked the ladies of Bethel to give the boat a name, and a committee consisting of the following ladies: Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Godwin, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Littlehale and Mrs. Lovejoy sent a list of names. From that list the name, "North Star," was chosen. These same ladies gave the boat a flag. The boat was christened with appropriate ceremony. Webster Holt was captain and James Elliott engineer. Trips were made up the river as far as Newry and down to "Bartlett's Rips." This boat was well patronized by the people of Hanover and Rumford Point.

In 1892 this boat was burned and the stockholders built a second boat which they later sold to Charles Douglass of Upton. Mr. Douglass loaded this boat on wheels. It took 16 horses to transport this to Upton. At the twin rocks, so called, in Grafton Notch they had to stop over night and do blasting in order to get through. Mr. Douglass landed this boat in the lake near what is now Durkee's hotel. He later changed to a side wheeler and for several years used this boat for excursion parties.

THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will attend church in a body in Waterford and North Waterford Sunday. The Waterford service is at 10 a. m. and the North Waterford service at 11:15 a. m.

TIME CHANGE: The Parish goes on Daylight Saving time this Sunday, April 30th. This change affects all services: morning worship, young people's and all other meetings of the church. This week again the Stoneham service of worship will be held late: at 11:30 a. m. However, next Sunday, May 7th, the regular hour of 10 a. m. will be resumed; DLS of course.

The Pilgrim Fellowship will hold their regular Sunday night session in the Stoneham Vestry at 7 p. m. At a special church meeting held last Thursday evening the Stoneham Church voted a program of extensive repair and rebuilding. The committee in charge of plans and building will meet Friday night at the home of Mrs. Littlefield. The Finance Committee of the building campaign will meet a week from Friday night at the home of Mrs. Allen. The plans call first for redecoration of the interior of the church itself.

A committee of the Sunday School superintendents will meet Friday evening, May 5th, at the North Waterford Parsonage to make plans for the various Daily Vacation Schools throughout the Parish. Rev. Deane Hodges, Minister of Christian Education, is calling this committee to consider primarily the Daily Vacation School program, but also to deal with the general problems that fall with the province of a Christian Education committee.

Delegates from the several churches are making plans to attend the state conference meeting at Dover-Foxcroft on May 2, 3, and 4.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Eugenia Haselton is working for Mrs. Scott Robertson.

Mrs. Florence Wellman spent Monday and Tuesday in Berlin.

Miss Christie Thurston has employment in the office of L. E. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thurston have moved into their home on Vernon Street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lapham of Rumford were visitors in town Tuesday.

Thomas Deroche and Billy Kelley of Rumford were callers in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Durell of Kittery were at their home here Saturday.

Miss Mae Morgan of Freeport was a week-end guest at the Students' Home.

A. A. Woodsum and friends of Mechanic Falls called on C. A. Austin Sunday.

E. C. Norton, who teaches in Eliot, was the guest of his family here last week.

Miss Rosamond Fos of Peabody, Mass., spent the week-end with friends in town.

Miss Alzena Lord was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Walter Reed, in Rumford.

Norman Johnson, student at Bates College, was the week-end guest of Parker Brown.

Miss Helen Cleveland of Norway was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Roy Hamlin.

Wilbert Bartlett of Houlton was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bartlett.

Miss Betty Raynes of Bangor is this week's guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Marshall.

E. C. Frost of Rumford was in town Tuesday to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Viola Roberts.

Judge Willard Wight of Littleton, N. H., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Harry Wilson, and family.

Arthur Bennett is caring for Ethel Emerson, who is very ill at his home on West Bethel Flat.

Miss Shirley Eldredge of Hallowsell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Young and family.

Charles Tuell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan and Miss Hazel Lutton were in Gorham, N. H., Saturday night.

Mrs. Gilbert Brown is in the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where she underwent surgery Tuesday morning.

Miss Merlene Bell and Miss Marion Stevens of Norway were callers on Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bartlett Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Wight attended the Fro-Joy merchandising banquet at the Eastland Hotel in Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. Davis Lovejoy has returned to her home on Vernon Street after spending the winter with Mrs. Edith Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eames returned to their home in Berlin Monday after spending several weeks in town.

Mrs. Marion Spaulley was taken to the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, Wednesday morning in Dr. Greenleaf's ambulance.

Mrs. Louie West and daughter Joyce of Norway were guests of relatives in town Friday and Saturday last week.

Niles Kellogg has purchased the property of Mrs. Newell Godwin at the corner of Mechanic and Railroad Streets.

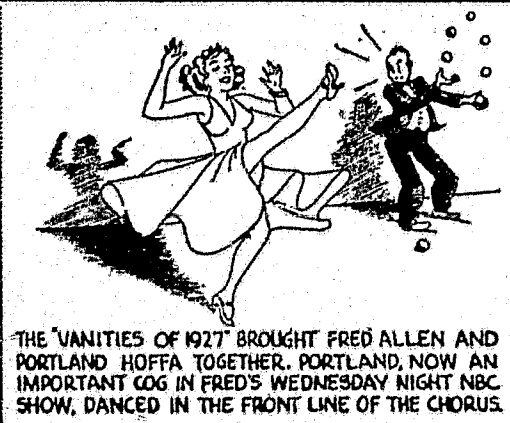
Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Martin of Milwaukee are spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. Nettie A. Chapman, and cousin, Ruel Chapman.

Mrs. Mina Harriman, who has spent the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Tyler, has returned to her home on Summer Street.

Guests of Mrs. Helena H. Bean on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hamilton and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray and son of Portland.

Mrs. Guy Crouse spent the week-end in Sanford, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Uhlman and family. Miss Helen Crouse, who has been visiting there several weeks, returned home with her.

—And They Lived Happily Ever After



THE VANITIES OF 1927 BROUGHT FRED ALLEN AND PORTLAND HOFFA TOGETHER. PORTLAND, NOW AN IMPORTANT COG IN FRED'S WEDNESDAY NIGHT NBC SHOW, DANCED IN THE FRONT LINE OF THE CHORUS.



JACK BENNY MET MARY LIVINGSTONE, HIS WIFE—(YOU HEAR THEM SUNDAY NIGHTS ON NBC) WHILE CALLING ON HER SISTER IN SAN FRANCISCO!



PHIL BAKER, HEARD SATURDAY'S V.A. CBS, MET PEGGY CARTWRIGHT, WHEN SHE WAS DANCING IN AMERICA IN 1932. THEY WERE MARRIED, AND ARE NOW THE PARENTS OF FOUR HANDSOME CHILDREN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chapman and daughter Mary Lou have returned from a 10 day trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker of Salem, Mass., were guests of their daughter, Miss Althea Parker, student at Gould Academy, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gill and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley were Sunday guests of Mrs. Gill's sister, Mrs. Clyde Coombs, and family of Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chadbourne and family spent a few days recently in Auburn, the guests of Mr. Chadbourne's father, W. C. Chadbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hewey and two daughters of Wilson's Mills were overnight guests Tuesday of Mrs. Hewey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Flint.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter, Charlene Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haselton of Dover-Foxcroft at the Bangor Hospital April 21.

Miss Eleanor Vail returned to home here Friday after spending the week with her sister, Miss Mildred Vail, in Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. Ula Parsons at Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Belo Handy of Salem, Mass., was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. E. A. Van Den Kerckhoven, and attended the American Legion meeting and dance at Norway Tuesday evening.

The Boy Scouts met with Scout Master Gerard S. Williams Monday evening at the Legion Rooms. Robert Greenleaf was leader. Mr. Snooks, assistant district executive, was present and told the Scouts of the camporee to be held at Augusta and answered questions in regard to Scout work. He led the boys in several games. Milo McAllister and Earl Davis, troop committee men, were also present.

A meeting of the Men's Brotherhood was held at the Methodist Church Monday evening. A ham and egg supper was served by Perry Lapham, James Brown, Harry Sawin and Donald Porter. The program for the evening included stories by the members followed by indoor baseball. Committees appointed for the May meeting are: speaker, Carl Brown. Fred Clark, Rev. M. A. Gordon; entertainment, Omer Drummond, John Anderson, Kenneth Brooks.

West Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head left this Thursday morning on a two weeks trip to New York and Washington, D. C., visiting points of interest including the New York World's Fair.

Reindeer Is Held Unique

Among the Deer Family

The reindeer is unique among deer in that the female, like the male, carries antlers, although they are smaller. It also differs from most deer in having young without spots, writes Ernst Schwarz in Nature magazine. The reindeer is the only deer that has become attached to man and has been domesticated.

The range of the reindeer (broad sense) includes the Arctic portions of both the old and the New Worlds. In America it is called the caribou. It is found in Scandinavia, Spitzbergen, northern Russia, Siberia, as well as in Alaska, most of Canada, Greenland and other Arctic islands. During the great ice age reindeer were forced much farther south. In France and Germany their meat provided a staple food for paleolithic man, and their antlers and bones the material for his tools and weapons. Some of the rock engravings left in the caves of western Europe by prehistoric man include beautiful representations of this animal.

Bird Sense

Many sportsmen and naturalists credit birds with reasoning power because they learn from experience. Their point out that an experienced pheasant, for instance, is very difficult to flush. The bird learns that any noise coming toward him may be a signal of danger and instead of flushing, he will creep along the ground, or run refusing, until forced, to rise into the air where he might become a target for a sportsman's gun or a bird of prey. . . . For this reason, spaniels are the best dogs for hunting pheasants. . . . they will crowd the bird until it flushes. . . . instead of pointing him.

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MAROONED BY MUD!

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gravel has been applied, there is no appreciable break-up during the spring season.

In addition, some three years ago, the Federal Government allocated approximately \$22,000 for a new 3rd class Grover Hill road. This was neither hearsay nor "chimney corner" talk for notice of the allotment was published in the Portland Press-Herald, Lewiston Daily Sun, as well as the local newspapers. The specifications for the new road were that it should begin at Mill Street and continue over Grover Hill and as far as possible on West Bethel Flat. Operations began merrily, a satisfactory road was built to within a few rods of Cobblestone Farm, about 1½ miles from Bethel Hill. Suddenly, without explanation, steam shovel men and several thousand dollars were all diverted elsewhere. Where, why—who knows?

It happens that among the scattered families inhabiting this mountainous district, there are several aged people, in late seventies and early eighties. If one of these hapless ones were to be stricken ill no physician could possibly reach the patient. Or should fire break out, the Bethel Fire Department would be powerless to render aid. The unfortunate families thus marooned are still Tax Payers and as such would seem entitled to a more decent sense of security.

What do you think?
Where lies the blame?

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of April 24	Grade Savings Bank	Total	Per Cent
I	\$4.00	\$2.60	46
II		2.40	59
III	4.00	2.35	61
IV	3.00	1.75	57
V	\$11.00	\$9.10	57.56
VI	\$3.00	\$3.10	1.65
VII	2.00	3.45	58.33
VIII	1.00	.65	9.34
	\$6.00	\$8.75	

Grades III and VII have banners.

VERMONT ACCIDENT INS. CO.

Rutland, Vermont	
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938	
Real Estate,	\$6,400.00
Mortgage Loans,	1,234.57
Stocks and Bonds,	28,178.48
Cash in Office and Bank,	3,980.58
All other Assets,	1,360.32
Gross Assets,	\$41,153.95
Deduct items not admitted,	1,329.80
Admitted,	\$39,824.15
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938	
Net Unpaid Losses,	\$3,920.00
Unearned Premiums,	4,095.68
All other Liabilities,	1,100.00
Cash Capital,	10,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	20,208.47
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$39,324.15

WESTCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

110 William Street, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938	
Real Estate,	\$76,012.02
Mortgage Loans,	339,402.73
Stocks and Bonds,	17,249,346.22
Cash in Office and Bank,	2,192,236.71
Agent's Balances,	794,338.47
Bills Receivable,	172,985.35
Interest and Rents,	64,629.48
All other Assets,	29,778.11

Gross Assets,	\$20,918,714.09
Deduct items not admitted,	3,491,041.94

Admitted, LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938	
Net Unpaid Losses,	\$1,148,756.00
Unearned Premiums,	\$492,963.10
All other Liabilities,	\$11,065.49
Cash Capital,	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	\$9,174,887.56
Total Liabilities and G17 Surplus,	\$17,427,672.15

MERCHANTS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY

BuHalo, New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938

Real Estate,	\$109,358.46
Mortgage Loans,	435,711.43
Stocks and Bonds,	1,782,938.46
Cash in Office and Bank,	1,098,658.44
Agents' Balances,	502,433.33
Bills Receivable,	24,701.91
Interest and Rents,	12,604.30

Gross Assets,	\$3,966,406.42
Deduct items not admitted,	553,858.96

Admitted, LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938	
Net Unpaid Losses,	\$1,640,107.87
Unearned Premiums,	1,029,897.79
All other Liabilities,	98,898.07
Surplus over all Liabilities,	643,643.73
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$3,412,547.46

WALTER E. BARTLETT, Agent
Bethel, Maine 17p

UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

110 William Street, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938

Real Estate,	\$467,139.82
Mortgage Loans,	262,626.68
Collateral Loans,	3,000.00
Stocks and Bonds,	28,270,055.43
Cash in Office and Bank,	3,380,871.77
Agent's Balances,	1,292,618.02
Bills Receivable,	237,997.77
Interest and Rents,	83,665.26
All other Assets,	45,004.76

Gross Assets,	\$34,043,029.96
Deduct items not admitted,	933,649.06

Admitted, LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938	
Net Unpaid Losses,	\$1,537,728.00
Unearned Premiums,	9,331,793.41
All other Liabilities,	766,430.95
Cash Capital,	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	18,973,428.47
Total Liabilities and G17 Surplus,	\$33,109,380.90

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Charlie Chaplin isn't the only comedian who yearns for Shakespearean roles. Radio star Phil Baker has a hankering to walk the boards in the thirty-seven minute stream-lined Shakespeare that is being put on at Merrie England by the Globe Theatre this summer at the New York World's Fair.

Real-life romance on that Big Sister dally. Eighteen year old Ted Reid and sweet sixteen Pat Ryan, holding hands.

Orch Leader Ray Noble is considering insurance—against losing that English accent.

Dr. Charles E. Fuller, pastor of the Old Fashioned Revival Hour on Mutual, starts his annual cross-country speaking tour May 1. A high-light of the trip will be his appearance at the First Baptist Church in New York—his first Manhattan engagement.



Bob Crosby
Bing No Handicap

Bob Trout is back in New York after weeks on the coast—ready to add another chapter to his attempts to use his sailboat as soon as the weather warms up.

Upton

A rather unusual event for this time of year was a heavy thunder shower Tuesday night last week, followed by another one Wednesday.

Mrs. Wilfred Richard, who is in the Rumford Community Hospital for a broken ankle is reported as not getting along very well. She will have to undergo an operation on the ankle some time this week, probably.

The Young People met with Rev. John Manter at his home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins were in Lewiston one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lee Abbott of Bangor visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

C. A. Judkins, Kendrick Judkins, Miss Caroline Patterson, Mrs. Mary Angeline, Miss Bessie Casoy and Miss Phyllis Barnett attended the 4-H Club Leaders' Conference at South Paris Saturday, April 22.

West Paris

Marion Evelyn Holkkinen
Marion Evelyn Holkkinen, three year old daughter of Emil and Marvel Swift Holkkinen died at the Rumford Community Hospital early Monday morning, the result of burns received last Wednesday when she backed into a pail of hot water on the floor when pulling a doll carriage, which she received for her birthday on April 17.

She is survived by her parents, also her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Holkkinen of Finland; a grandfather, Russell Swift, and step-grandmother, Mrs. Swift; several uncles and aunts.

Funeral services were held from I. W. Andrews & Son funeral home Wednesday at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. Interment took place at Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Paris.

The W. C. T. U. fifth Sunday evening will be held at the Universalist Church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. Mrs. Walter Cook of Hebron will be the guest speaker. Rev. Felix Mayblom will read the scripture. Rev. W. A. Smith will offer prayer and Mrs. Miriam Mayblom will be the soloist.

East Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings are rejoicing over the birth of a 10½ lb. daughter, Anne Louise, April 18, Mrs. Pearl Cleveland is caring for Mrs. Hastings and daughter. Mrs. Lake is assisting with the housework.

Mrs. Annie Billings is very ill. Percy Cleveland of Berlin, was a Saturday night and Sunday guest of his wife at G. K. Hastings'.

B. W. Kimball was the Sunday guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Howe.

Miss Mary Farwell is enjoying a

A Fair Pair

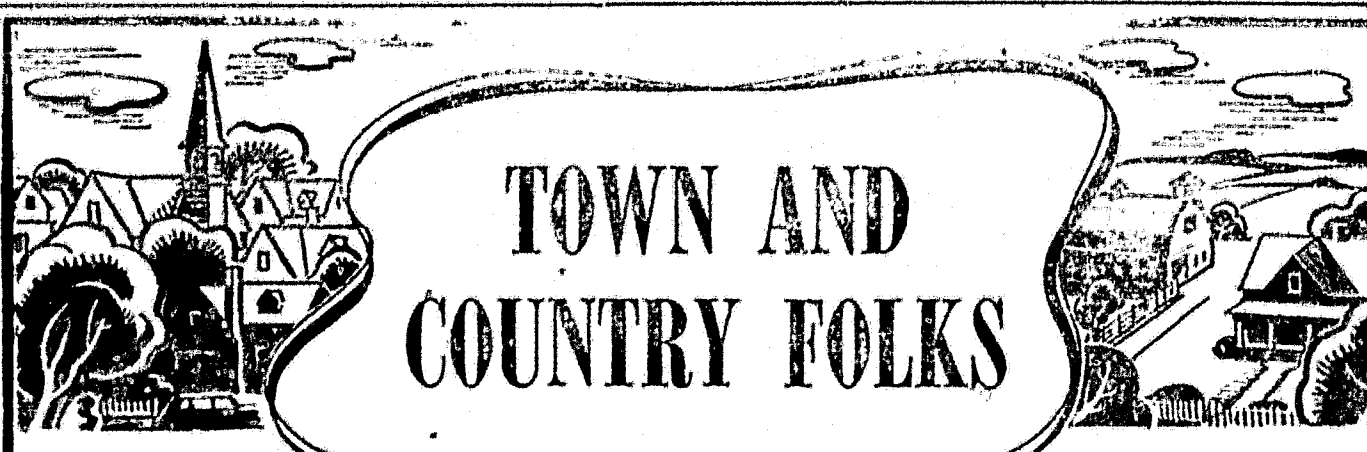


© Pretty "Miss Oregon," otherwise Miss Barbara Johnson, takes the bull by the horns at the National Beef Show at the World's Fair of the West on Treasure Island. The curly haired beauty at the left is Pillsbury Mixer, prize winner in the cattle show.

vacation from her work in Lovell, where she has been since last summer.

Mrs. Maggie Newton has been ill with a bad cold.

Leland Coolidge returned home Sunday from the M. G. Hospital, Portland, where he has been for two weeks following an operation for hernia.



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IT WASN'T much of a quarrel—just a few bitter words strung together in angry haste; all about the bedroom walls.

"Only forty dollars for such lovely paper; and it's impossible the way it is!"

"Forty dollars is too much; you're paying for the man's reputation!"

"But any paper hanger would charge twenty-five—"

"Well—I was brought up to realize that fifteen dollars was worth saving!"

That was the beginning. As Ralph Brown, husband, closed the door, his ears were assaulted with this last Parthian shot:

"If you are too stingy to support me in decency, I'll go home!"

The poison of the thing got into his system. He never used to wrangle with anyone. Since his marriage, a year ago, there had been too much of it; maybe, after all, fifteen dollars was a small concession, but it was the principle of the thing!

Barbara and he had different standards where money was concerned. She wanted the best—or nothing. He would compromise by enjoying next-best! The word "stingy" in her ringing tones heckled him through his morning's work. He worried through till lunchtime. A bowl of delicious soup, a cool, refreshing salad perfectly served at his favorite restaurant,

SHORT SHORT STORY

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swept away the cobwebs. He would telephone Babs and tell her to order the paper. He would demonstrate that he wasn't "stingy!"

Whereupon, puffing at his good cigar, he reached for the telephone and then remembered that Barbara was due at a luncheon and bridge at one. He went back to the office with his peace of mind almost restored.

A client detained him and it was late when he got away.

When he reached home the house was unlighted. He left the car in front and entered with his latchkey. Silence. Switching on the lights, he made his way to the kitchen. Or—

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der prevailed. At this time of day he was accustomed to the interesting clutter of a meal in the making, to Barbara's slender figure enveloped in cretonne over her pretty dress, her bright head bent over some homely task, and to the sweet freshness of her kiss as she lifted her lips to his. She was always, home before him.

Ralph had a slight chill. He called her name loudly. Silence. Then, like an evil flash, came her Parthian shot and its concluding, "I'll go home, Ralph Brown!"

"Nonsense," he exploded to the blank, listening walls. He went into the living room and tried to read. Impossible.

Seven-thirty. Eight o'clock. Casting aside his pride, he went to the telephone and called her nearest friend.

"Selma, this is Ralph. What time did Barbara leave the bridge party today?"

"Why, Ralph, I've been trying to get her all afternoon. She wasn't there." Ralph hung up the receiver with a stifled groan in the pit of his stomach.

Barbara had gone; her folks lived upstate—she had probably gone home. He couldn't telephone them—his pride forbade. He must let her go. He sank into a chintz-covered chair and buried his face in one of her hand-made pillows. Life without her unrolled before him like a distorted film. He finally arose and restored the room to such order as his clumsy masculine methods and nervous fingers would allow. She must have been in a terrific hurry to get away, once she had decided to go. Probably rushed to get a train—or maybe she had driven all the way. He would go around to the garage and see if her car was gone.

Bareheaded he ran out into the stygian darkness. "Oh, Lord," he prayed, "send her back to me and I'll never oppose her again!" which was a large order but came from the depths of his sick soul. He was about to retrace his steps, when a muffled sound and a slight creaking of the car body made him pause. Something was agitating it with a slight motion.

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Quickly he stepped inside, flashed on the lights and opened the car door. There lay Barbara, bound hand and foot with an oily rag gagging her.

A few seconds later she lay in his arms telling him in jerky sentences about the ugly tramp that had lain in wait for her in the garage.

"He took my keys and, oh Ralph, my lovely necklace," she wailed. And the husband who, only a few hours before, had balked at \$15, replied lightly:

"Pooh! What's a diamond necklace! I'll buy you another tomorrow with a giant police dog thrown in for good measure."

Changing Eras in Japan

For centuries it was the practice in Japan to change the era every time something epoch-making happened, or when there occurred some earthquake, drought, pestilence or famine which needed to be quickly thrust out of the present into the past. The ruler who changed his era most was Godaigo, the ninety-sixth emperor. He was noted for his misfortunes. In his reign of 22 years (1318-1338 A. D.) he changed his year-name nine times. Emperor Meiji, ascending the throne in 1868, put a stop to this practice of frequently changing the year-name. He decreed that each emperor should use but one year-name, beginning and ending with his reign.

South Bethel

Herbert Hatfield has moved his family from the rent of Frank Stevens to George Tibbetts' house.

Harold Simonds of Conway, N. H., visited at Shirley Chase's Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Morse has employment at the E. L. Tebbets' pool mill.

Mrs. Bert Sessions and Mrs. Hazdie Cash gave their mother, Mrs. Adie Raimy, a birthday party on her sixtieth birthday. They presented her with a birthday cake decorated with 60 white candles in pink holders.

Leonard Tyler is working for Philip Chadbourne hauling pine. Muriel Vashaw visited over the week-end at Hunt's Corner.

Guy Smith and Winfield Mason are working for Jim Spinney at Sunday River.

Ernest Brooks of Shelburne, N. H., called on his brother, Frank Brooks, Friday.

Roderick Harthorne and wife visited with relatives at Westbrook over the week-end.

Jim Tebbets has returned home from Sunday River, where he has been working for Clyde Stevens the past winter.

Hanover

Mrs. Joe Hardy of Sanford was a guest, recently, of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dyer.

Mrs. L. T. Dickson, who has been

visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Stone in Rochester, N. H., returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rideout of Rochester, N. H. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy, who recently spent some time with her sister, Mrs. Roberts, in Livermore Falls, has returned home.

A benefit card party was held for the Pythian Sisters at K. of P. Hall, Friday evening by the committee Mrs. Kathleen Smith, Lena and Sadie Cole and Marie Abbott. There were four tables of bridge and two of whist. Prizes were won by Cheslie Saunders and Ella Russell, at bridge and by Mrs. Sarah Stearns and Mrs. McPherson, Charles McPherson and Jessie Loomis. Charles McPherson won the door prize.

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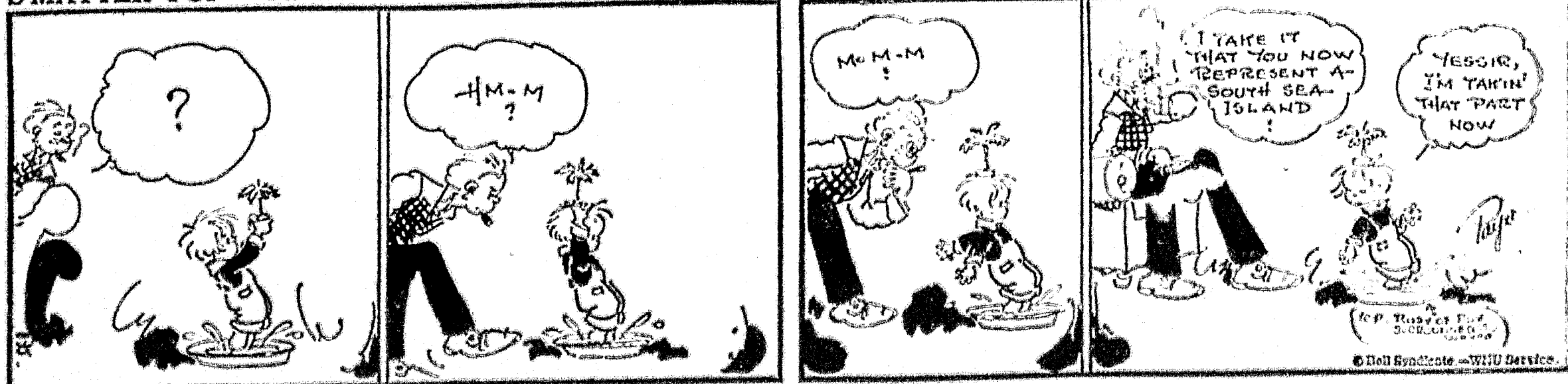
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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, April 30th
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
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11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Our Private Religion." A service of reception of new members and the Communion Service at the close.
6:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.
All services on daylight saving time.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor
9:45 Church School.
11:00 Sunday Morning Worship. Choir will sing "Jesus Lives." Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. John C. Anderson, leader. Subject of sermon, "The New Birth."
6:30 Epworth League. Leader, Miss Lydia Norton. Speaker, Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts.
7:30 Evening Service. Poems, Prayer, Readings. Subject, "The Holy Spirit." "Old Hymn."
Tuesday evening, half hour prayer and meditation. Choir rehearsal.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Everlasting Punishment is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 30.

The Golden Text is: "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" (Genesis 18:25).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "If ye endure chastening, God deal with you as with sons; for what son is he whom the father chasteneth not. Now no chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous; nevertheless afterward it yieldeth the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby" (Hebrews 12:7-11).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

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BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Walter G. Blake was given a surprise party Saturday afternoon and evening by members of her family and friends at her home in Lewiston. She received many lovely gifts including a birthday cake made by Miss Edna Priest.

Those present were Walter G. Blake, Miss Florence Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blake and son Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blake, Clayton Blake and Guy Gibbs, all of Bethel; Mrs. Ray E. Cotton Jr., son Leonard Ray and daughter Phyllis Ann of Mechanic Falls, Miss Alberta Abbott of North Rumford and Miss Edna Priest of Lewiston.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

Miss Kathleen Wight, Miss Madeline Hall and Edward Wheeler were honor guests at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler Friday evening. The party was planned to celebrate the birthdays of the trio. Games and music were enjoyed, and refreshments, including three birthday cakes, were served. Those present besides the honor guests were: Miss Virginia Smith, Miss Virginia Davis, Sidney Howe, Dwight Morrill, Buddy Clough and Frank Littlehale.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Charles Freeman was given a surprise birthday party by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry, at their home Saturday evening. Refreshments were served including three birthday cakes and the honor guest received many gifts.

Those present besides the honor guest and the host and hostess were: Charles Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Ray York, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown, Mrs. A. S. Grover, Mrs. Blinn Collins, Mrs. Moses Brown, Carol Robertson, and Francis Berry.

Deaths from diphtheria in the United States have decreased 93% since 1930, according to U. S. Census Bureau reports.

BIRTHS

In Bethel, April 18, to the wife of Robert Hastings, a daughter, Anne Louise.

In Bangor, April 21, to the wife of Charles Haselton of Dover-Foxcroft, a daughter, Charlene Louise.

In West Paris, April 22, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Frederick Scribner of Albany and Miss Elizabeth Bean of Bethel.

DEATHS

In Bethel, April 19, Rev. Fred W. Buck, aged 71 years.

In Rumford, April 24, Marion Evelyn Helkkinen, aged 3 years.

In Gilead, April 22, Mrs. Mary E. Bennett, wife of Preston Bennett, aged 71 years.

In Gorham, N. H., April 22, Mrs. Viola Roberts, widow of Gardiner Roberts, aged 87 years.

In Wilton, April 25, Mrs. Eva Cook Nelson, wife of John W. Nelson formerly of Bethel, aged 51 years.

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The Commissioner pointed out that this would be of tremendous value to the potato industry, as extra large and under size potatoes could be diverted through the "canning" channels, leaving the more uniform stock for table shipments.

Other concerns are expected to enter the "canned potato" field and experiments are being made with french fried, salad and mashed potatoes, which when complete will create a substantial market for Maine potatoes.

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